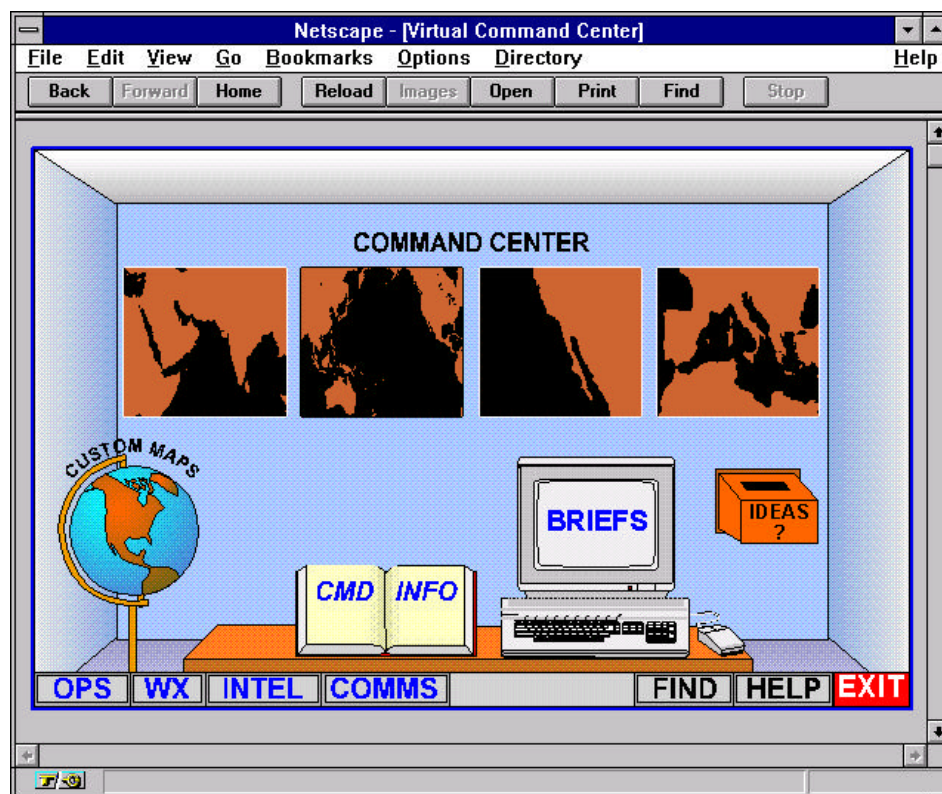


4. COMMAND CENTER

Every site can customize the command center home page by changing the four wall charts and relinking the hot points for the CMD INFO book and the OPS, WX, INTEL, and COMMS buttons.



Wall Charts - Click on a wall chart to display the indicated geographic area. The system administrator can configure these wall charts to “publish” any geographical area with the units of interest, as routinely monitored by the command. Furthermore, the system administrator can change the four wall chart insets (in the image above) to represent the desired area (i.e., by creating a “thumb nail” picture of the map).

CUSTOM MAPS - The globe is the entry point to the user’s custom maps and the system custom maps (which are configured by the system administrator). Each user can build 100 custom maps, as defined by geographical area, mapping product (e.g., Defense Mapping Agency (DMA) maps and intensity), units of interest, and active overlays. After clicking on the globe, a scrollable list of the user’s custom maps and the system custom maps appears, along with UB-provided DMA maps, as described in section 6.1.

CMD INFO - This hot point can provide an entry point to the command’s home page, as configured by the system administrator.

BRIEFS - This hot point provides an entry point to the UB briefs, if available.

IDEAS - This hot point provides a forum for the user to submit comments and suggestions about ELVIS.

OPS - This hot point provides an entry point to the command's operational data, as configured by the system administrator.

WX - This hot point provides an entry point to weather data, as configured by the system administrator.

INTEL - This hot point provides an entry point to INTEL data, as configured by the system administrator.

FIND - This hot point provides a search capability to locate track positions based on name, flag, class, or type.

HELP - This hot point provides access to the user manual.

EXIT - This hot point provides an exit to the copyright/disclaimer screen. As a security feature, the login prompt is not provided again. In order to change to another user login, the browser must be closed and then re-opened. This prevents unauthorized access to different user accounts using the browser's cache (e.g., via the BACK key).